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**Subject:** Request for review for EPA-HQ-2016-004924 - Bay Delta 1/15/18 - 1/30/18

Ann - EPA-HQ-2016-004924 is one of the six remaining FOIAs that need to be closed out. The FOIA requests (1) documents (as specifically described below) that relate to the United States Environmental Protection Agency's ("EPA's") triennial reviews under section 303 of the Clean Water Act of Water Quality Control Plans for the San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary ("Bay-Delta") and (2) waiver of your costs of producing these documents, as detailed below. We separately submitted a FOIA request to EPA Region 9, and have received a fee waiver. This request is intended to supplement the request to EPA Region 9 with any related documents held by EPA Headquarters that cannot be produced by Region 9.

1. Any documents dated after January 1, 1990 related to Bay-Delta water quality standards submitted by the State of California to EPA as part of the above described triennial review process.
2. Any documents dated after January 1, 1990 prepared by EPA relating to its adoption, proposed withdrawal, or continuing evaluation of water quality standards for the Bay-Delta, including any documents related to EPA's mandated triennial review.
3. Any documents dated after January 1, 1990 related to EPA's evaluation of proposals to move the existing point of diversion of water from the Bay-Delta for either the State Water Project or the Central Valley Project.

The search and review of over a 100,000 responsive records is complete. The FOIA is divided into four productions which are at varying stages of review. I am coordinating review for production 2 with the AO (through Jonathan Newton), second line review for production 3 with Macara, and other agency review as appropriate. The deadline for this FOIA is 1/31/18. OW IO review is scheduled for 1/15- 1/30/18. Given that there are over 750 responsive records in this FOIA, I wanted to know if the OW IO would like to get started on reviewing Production 1 now.

Production 1 – includes 4 subfolders and no other agency – AO review complete - 544 records

Production 2 – high value targets and other agencies – needs AO review – 140 records

Production 3 – remaining targets and other agencies – needs 2<sup>nd</sup> level review, and then OW IO – 64 records

Other Agency production – other agencies over entire workspace – needs other agency review – under 30 records

I will give you access to all three productions and other agency. Please advise as to next steps for OW IO review. Thanks.

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